

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as shown below. The listing of the claims below replaces all prior versions of the claims.

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1. (Original) A composition comprising:
 - (a) at least one surfactant having a hydrophobic-lipophilic balance value in the range from about 11 to about 16; and
 - (b) at least one cell membrane altering compound.
 2. (Previously presented) The composition according to claim 1, wherein the surfactant is selected from the group consisting of non-ionic surfactants, cationic surfactants, and mixtures thereof.
 3. (Previously presented) The composition according to claim 2, wherein the surfactant is present in the composition in an amount ranging from about 0.001 to about 10% (w/v) of the composition.
 4. (Withdrawn) The composition according to claim 2, wherein the non-ionic surfactants comprise ethoxylated alkylphenols.
 5. (Withdrawn) The composition according to claim 4, wherein the ethoxylated alkylphenols comprise ethoxylated nonylphenols or octylphenoxypolyethoxyethanol.
 6. (Previously presented) The composition according to claim 2, wherein the cationic surfactants comprise ethylene oxide condensates of aliphatic amines or ethoxylated tallow amines.
 7. (Previously presented) The composition according to claim 1, wherein the surfactant comprises an ethoxylated amine.